# Bess V. Ehrmann papers S412

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# **Summary Information**

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**Repository** Rare Books and Manuscripts

Creator Ehrmann, Bess V.

**Title** Bess V. Ehrmann papers

**Date** 1816-1885

**Extent** 0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder

**Language** English

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#### **Preferred Citation**

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#### **Biographical Note**

Bess [Bessie] Virginia Hicks Ehrmann was born in Rockport, Indiana on December 21, 1879 to Royal S. and Rachel Ann (Britton) Hicks, the youngest of four children. She attended two years of college, possibly at the New England Conservatory. She married Calder [Calden] De Bruler Ehrmann on June 23, 1902 in Spencer, and they had three children. She was a dramatic director and wrote plays, pageants and historical sketches and books, with an emphasis on Abraham Lincoln. She died on February 20, 1963 and is buried in the Sunset Hill Cemetery in Rockport, Indiana.

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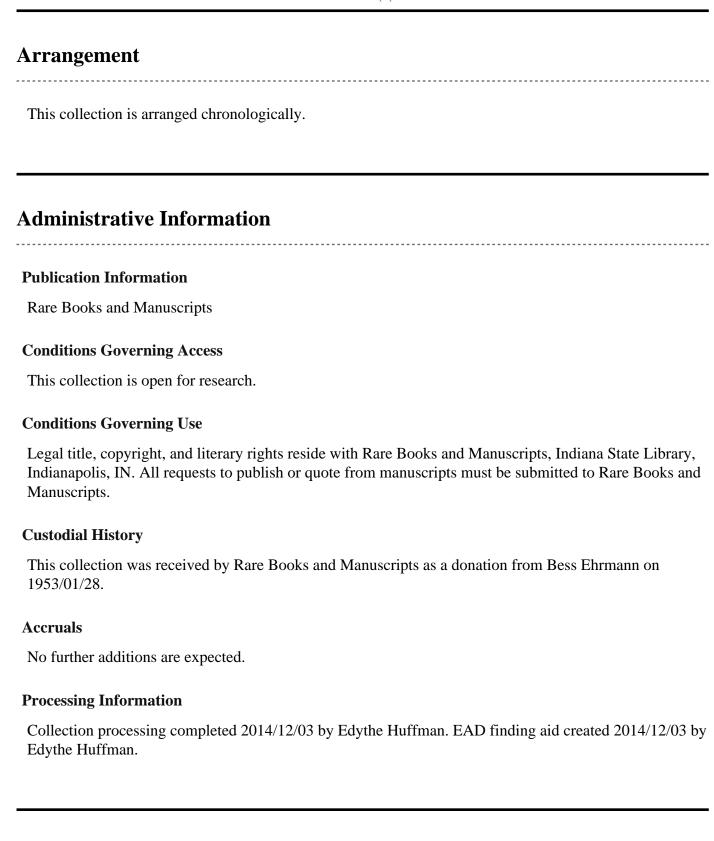
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## **Scope and Contents**

This collection includes a carbon copy of a typed speech from Bess V. Ehrmann in Rockport, Indiana ranging from 1816 to 1885 regarding pioneer churches in Spencer County, Indiana.



**Controlled Access Headings** 

## Geographic Name(s)

- Rockport (Ind.)
- Spencer County (Ind.)

## Personal Name(s)

• Lincoln, Thomas

#### Subject(s)

- Church history
- Frontier and pioneer life
- Speech